Montana Comprehensive Assessment System (MontCAS, Phase 2)

Criterion-Referenced Test (CRT)

COMMON CONSTRUCTED-RESPONSE ITEM RELEASE
MATHEMATICS, GRADE 8

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Mathematics Session 1 (No Calculator)

You may NOT use a calculator during this session.

Write your answer in the space provided for it in your Student Response Booklet. Show all of your work.

- 23. Sample 1 of a silver alloy weighs 100 ounces and contains 20% pure silver.
 - a. How many **ounces** of pure silver does sample 1 contain?
 - b. Sample 2 of a silver alloy weighs 320 ounces and is 75% pure silver. How many ounces of sample 2 are **not** pure silver?
 - c. Sample 3 is made by combining 60 ounces of pure silver with sample 1. What is the **percent** of pure silver in sample 3? Show or explain how you found your answer.

Scoring Guide

Score	Description
4	4 points
3	3 points
2	2 points
1	1 point or Student demonstrates minimal understanding of percents and/or proportions.
0	Response is incorrect or contains some correct work that is irrelevant to the skill or concept being measured.
Blank	No response.

Scoring Notes

Part a: 1 point for correct answer, 20 (ounces)

Part b: 1 point for correct answer, 80 (ounces)

Part c: 2 points for correct answer, 50%, with work or explanation given

OR

1 point for correct answer, without appropriate work or explanation given

or

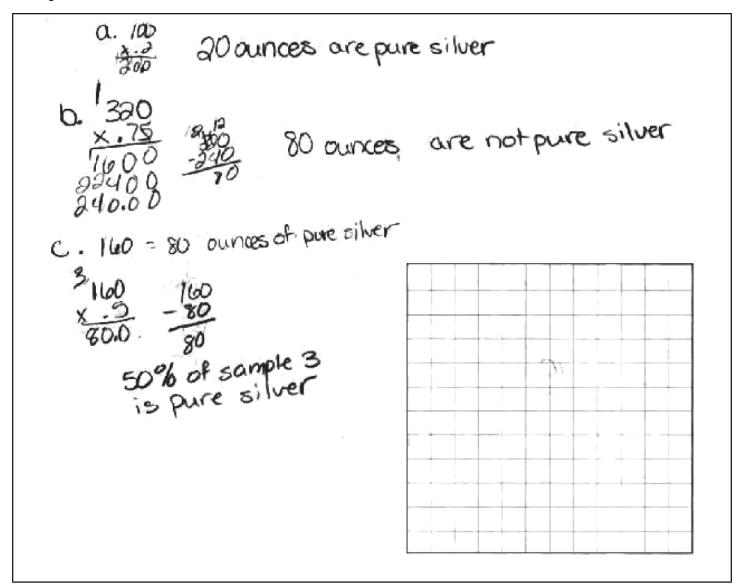
for correct strategy shown, for example, finds 80 ounces and 160 ounces

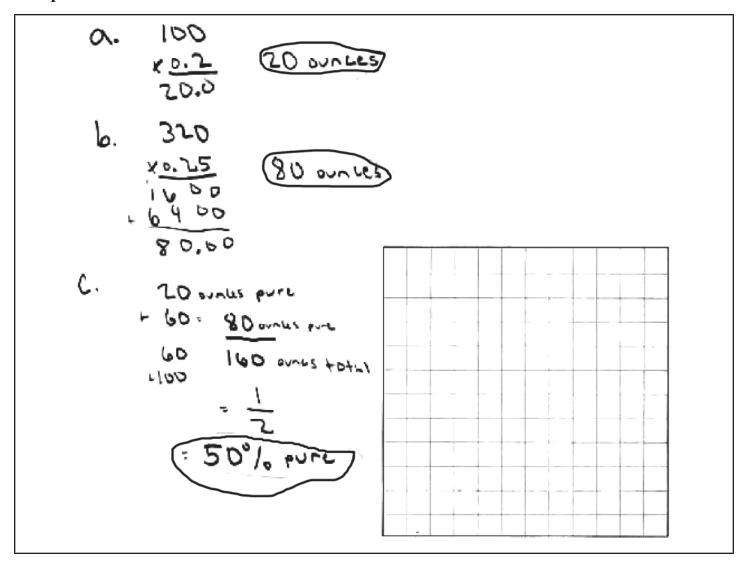
Sample Response:

a. 20% of 100 ounces is 20 ounces.

b.
$$\frac{1}{4} \times 320 = 80$$

c. 20 ounces + 60 ounces = 80 ounces of silver. 100 + 60 = 160 ounces of sample. $80 \div 160 = 50\%$





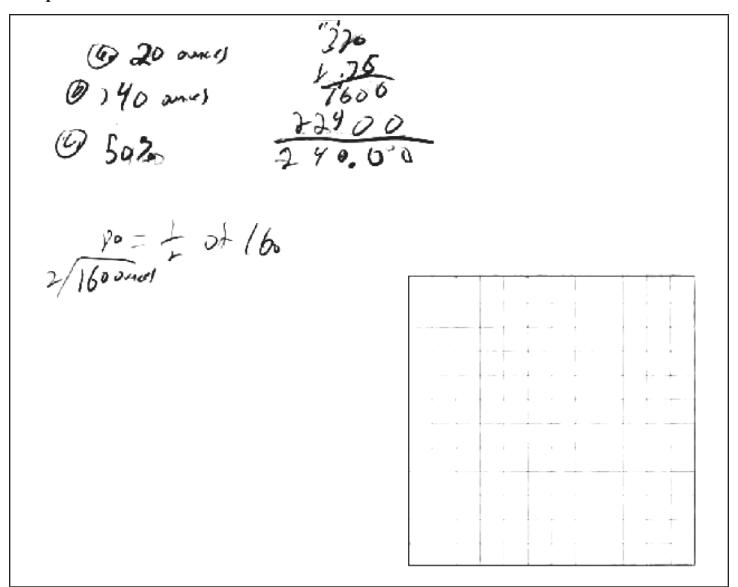
$$0 = 100 \pm .20 = 20 \text{ oz}$$

$$0 = 320 \pm .75 = 240 \text{ oz}$$

$$0 \cdot .400 \cdot 02 = 200 \cdot 02$$

$$0 \cdot \times = 201 \cdot 20 \cdot 100 = 2.000 \pm .000 = 20 \cdot 02$$

$$0 \cdot \times = 251 \cdot 320 \cdot 25 = 320$$

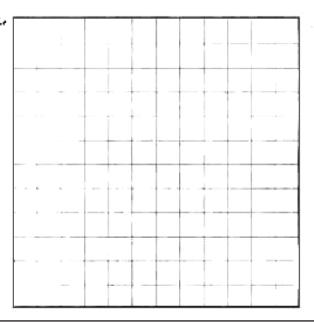


Sample I weights 100 ounces & contains 20% silver

a. Sample I containes 20 ources of pure silver because 20% of 100 is 20.

b. Sample 2 is 80 ounces are not pure silver 380: 2 = 160:2 = 80 = 25%

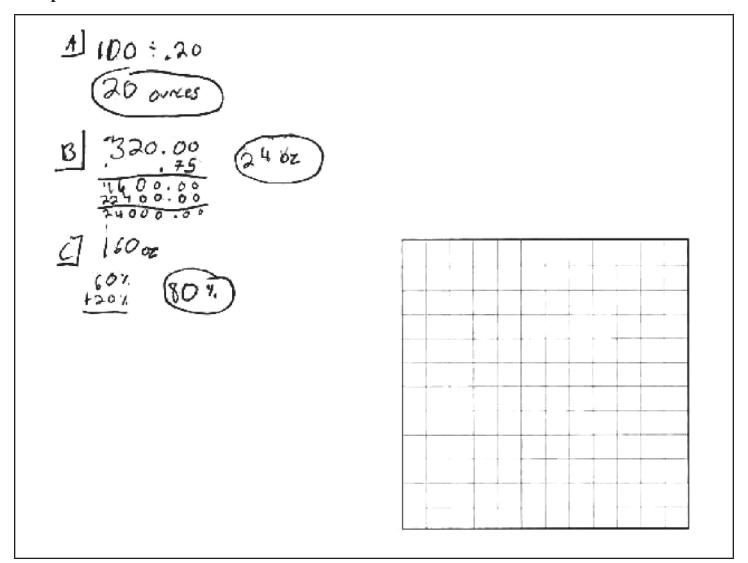
C. Sample 3 would have 80 oz. of pure silver because #1 has 20 ources Plus 60 oz. from sample 3.



Sample 2

a. Sample one contains 20 ounces of pure silver. b. 80 ounces of silver all ay are not pure silver. C.80% is Pure Silver. +20% of 100=20 80% of Phre Silver,

A-100 ounces and has a000 pure silver
20%=1/5 (i converted the %)
1/5 of 1 = . a (i used my fraction)
8-5 ounces of pure silver
B-75%=3/4 (iused the four when i +) and the
B-75%=3/4 (iused the four when i +) and the three when i multiplied the 320:4=80x3=240 1532/80 ounces aren't)
300 au pure silver
C-60 ounces + 5 ounces = 65 ounces
$\frac{65:5:\frac{13}{100}}{100:5:\frac{20}{30}}$
$(\frac{13}{30})$



a.I

B: 240

